The Daily Paper of the Submarine Branch



# Hey! Tel. SIDNEY TIBBLE look at Christine's first tooth

MRS. VERA TIBBLE and her seven-month-old daughter Christine, were busy enjoying the freedom of Freedom Park, Mutley, Plymouth, when our photographer, who had been directed from 52 Alexander Road, Mutley, found Telegraphist Sidney Tibble's wife and baby taking their daily constitutional.

Although baby Christine is going through the painful stage of cutting her first tooth (iit's the first of the top ones!), she was all smiles for the camera, and she cooed with delight when Mummy sat beside her to have a picture

Vera wants to remind you, Sid, of the Scotch skirt she's rearing. When you were together in Scotland, she used at last coupons buying it.

Apart from that, Vera is looking around for a puppy-dog. It's a terrier she wants, which she hopes to train to accompany mother and child on those daily constitutionals in Freedom Park. Of course, she doesn't expect you to bring the dog home for her!

On the way down from Scotland, baby Christine was the ideal passenger—she slept all the way, only waking up when breaking journey in London before catching the connection for Plymouth.

Vera has had a letter from your brother Reg. in Jo'burg. He's doing fine, and is "raring" to get past that medical for flying duties.

Your two brothers-in-law, Leslie and Ronald, wrote from Sicily; all's well.

Both your wife and child were looking fine, Sid., and at 52 Alexander Road, where your photographs adorn every convenient place in the front room, Mrs. Jordan from upstairs is crazy about Christine, and is a good neighbour for your wife.

r your wife. All send their love!



SHIP'S CAT'S KITTY

IND people give us money to buy games and we get together a store so that from time to time we can divvy-up on the kitty. But requests from individual submarines are always in perfect order-we'd much sooner people got what they wanted (as near as we can make it) than just get given dollops of what's going.

However, at the moment there seem to be a lot of Ludo, Tiddley-Winks, Snakes and Ladders, Draughts and Cribbage Boards about. If you want any of these you're a — lot more likely to get them by asking us, or wherever your next base is, than by doing nothing. A Verb to Saps, that's called.

# GOOD (79 'A GHOST WITH Continuing A HAMMER' He was the Champ of Champs

JIMMY WILDE was the greatest "little man" the ring has known. He was not a freak, but if that much-used word "genius" can be applied to boxing—and there does not appear to be any reason why it should not—then he was a genius of

to be any reason why it should not—then he was a genius of the ring.

He was tall for his weight, and he knew how to use his reach to the best advantage. You will say that a height of 5ft. 3½in, is not tall, but his weight was only 6st. 10lb. That is the poundage Wilde scaled when he was at his best, and you have to bear in mind that the lowest weight dilivision is 8st., at which the fly-weight championship is fought.

Throughout the whole of his career Wildle never fought a man of his own weight. With fly-weights it is no small matter to concede two or three pounds in weight to a close rival, whereas it is fairly easy for a good heavy-weight to concede a stone or more.



Then there was the final de-feat that wrote finis to a great ring career. This was another of the three contests that should never have taken place.

THE GOLDEN

AGE OF

BOXING

By W. H. MILLIER

After his defeat by Herman, Wilde realised that he had passed his best. He had accumulated a tidy fortune, thanks largely to the best friend he had in life, namely, Teddy Lewis, his white-haired manager, who was in every sense his friend, philosopher and guide. Lewis and Wilde stand out in my mind as a great combination of manager and boxer, in much the same way as the partnership of Descamps and Carpentier was unique.

The Dead Looked In

# The Man With Two

CROSSWORD

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CLUES DOWN.

1 Rough hut. 2 Flowerless plant. 3 Dress.
4 Face protection. 5 Thus. 6 Wheel centre. 7
Mete, 8 Sinks unevenly. 9 Amiable 129 Sleeved
garment. 14 Store. 17 Apprehensive. 21 Languishes. 22 Sponge. 23 It's used for fiddle
strings. 24 Ill-defined, 25 Ability to perceive. 26
Musical round. 27 Barons. 29 Small beast of
burden. 31 Await. 33 Undermine, 36 Thanks.

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Beards

By G. K. CHESTERTON

Things, and there was one stumbling-block at the start. I being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of being shot at Beechwood House. Now, even when Michael a point of the yell with the side of they? "Let us go back," said Father Brown, "and look at the thing through another window through the young lady saw the ghost." "The ghost!" The ghost!" "The ghost in thinking that the young lady

ALLIED PORTS
Guess the name of this ALLIED PORT from the following clue to its letters.

My first is in BLOSSOM, not in WEED.

My second's in FLOWER, not in BLOOM, My third is in THYME, but not in BLOOM, My sixth is in SPEEDWELL, not in DAHLILA, My seventh's in COWSLIPS and in PHLOX.

My next is in HOLLY, not in HOCKS, (Answer on Page 3)

ALLIED PORTS

Guess the name of this ALLIED PORT from the old beard nor the old beard

CORNER CLUES ACROSS,

11 Proscribe. 13 Bitterly pungent.

member.
19 Piano lever.
20 Small bird.
22 Meant to

amuse.
25 Glossy fabric.
26 Head covering.
28 Imitated.
30 Discuss.
32 Meal

32 Meal
reminders.
34 Burn surface.
35 Throw from
horse.
37 Stubborn.
38 Watch.
39 Members of
family.

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man. He has no social ideal, let alone religion; he has neither the gentleman's traditions nor the trade unionist's loyalty. All his boasts about getting good bargains were practically boasts of having cheated people. There's no doubt he was the villain of the piece. It was really a new and unique motive for murder.

"It was the motive of using "But why had your friend"

any other—and he is the lean the familiar face agains rather brutal sort of business man. He has no social ideal, You will notice that Moonshine

"It was the motive of using But why had your friend

### TO-DAY'S PICTURE QUIZ



Like the shoulder-straps? Well, they're holding up the flimsies which cover the elegant form of America's No. 1 pin-up girl. Guess who. Answer to Picture Quiz in No. 178: Sonja Henie.

the corpse as a stage property —a sort of hideous doll or dummy. At the start he conceived the plan of killing Michael in the motor, merely to take him home and pretend to have killed him in the garden.

"But all sorts of fantastic finishing touches followed quite naturally from the primary fact; that he had at his disposal in a car at night the dead body of a recognised criminal. He could leave his finger-prints and foot-prints; he could "It would have been like"

Michael Moonshine kept the old beard?" Devine said thoughtfully. "That seems to thoughtfully. "That seems to thoughtfully. "The seems to the questionable."

"To me, who knew him, it seems quite inevitable," replied attitude was like that wig he wore. There was no disguise about his disguises. He didn't want the old disguise any more, but he wasn't frightened of it; he would have felt it disputed.

"It would have been like

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1.—ALgebraicAL.
2.—COULSDON.
3.—WATER, WAVER, WAVES, EAVES, ELVES.
HOOK, HONK, HONE, LONE, LINE.
GIRL, GIRD, BIRD, BARD, BARS, BAYS, BOYS.
BODY, BODE, CODE, CORE, CORD, FORD, FOOD, FOOL, FOUL, SOUL.
4.—Mote, Tome, Gore, Meet, Teem, Troy, More, Tore, Rote, Yore, Tory, Tyro, Gory, Grey, Grot, etc.
Greet, Meter, Metre, Metro, etc.

Dick Whittington's cat was no animal, according to historians. It may have been a ship of Norwegian type, with narrow stern and deep waist, used in the coal-carrying trade, and known as a "cat." It was certainly in these cats that Whittington's coal was brought from Newcastle to London.

Another story is that Dick Whittington made his fortune by careful buying. The French for "bargain" is "achat," and this may have been translated into "a cat" in error.

been transition.

Another cat fable con cerns catgut, which has

# nothing whatever to do with cats. It is made from the intestines of the horse, sheep or ox. A small fiddle used to be called a "kit," and so the word "catgut" was originally "kitgut"—the gut strings used on a kit.

An aitch-bone of beef has nothing to do with the letter "H." The old French word for the rump was "nache," and an aitch-bone should really be "nache-bone," or rump-bone.

Do you know why the men of Wiltshire are called "Moonrakers"? Long ago, when smuggling was one of our major industries, some Wiltshire men ran a cargo ashore and sank the kegs of rum in a pond. Some Excise men came along just as the villagers were rescuing the rum with the help of hay-rakes. Asked what they were doing, the men pointed to the reflection of the moon in the pond and said, "We be trying to rake out that great old cheese." Hence their traditional nickname—Moonrakers.

Patients suffering from certain complaints, such as insomnia, are sometimes treated with "picked" ultrasonic waves. They are asked to talk in front of a set of sensitive gas-flames, one of which will leap up in response to a particular tone in their voice. The vibrations carrying the tone are then noted, and ultrasonic waves are produced at several octaves above this. several octaves above this.
The patient benefits from them, although they are too high to trouble his conscious hearing.

### MIXED DOUBLES

Two words meaning the same thing ("comic" and "funny," for instance) are lumbled in phrase (a); and two words with opposite meanings (e.g., "past" and "future") are mixed in phrase (b).

(a) CANE MET JAB.

(b) ANY INSECT.

(Answers on Page 3.)

hiding," explained Father Brown, "and he was not hiding from God; he was not hiding from himself. He was in the broad daylight. If they had taken him back to prison, he'd still have been quite happy. For he was not whitewashed; he was washed white.

"There was something very strange about him; almost as strange as the grotesque dance of death through which he was dragged after he was dead. When he moved to and fro smiling among these beehives, even then, in a most radiant and shining sense, he was dead. He was out of the judgment of this world."

There was a short pause, and then Devine shrugged his shoulders and said: "It all comes back to bees and wasps looking very much alike, doesn't it?"

END

From "The Secret of Father Brown." (By permission of Mrs. G. K.

Chesterton.



1. A persimmon is a cloak, flower, carriage, dog, apple, American drink?

2. Who wrote (a) "Madame ovary," (b) "Madame But-Bovary,"

Bovary,"
terfly"?
3. Which of the following is an intruder, and why: Thames, Trent, Test, Tay, Tyne, Tamar, Tees?
4. For what names do W. S. Gilbert's initials stand for?
5. Who said, "Where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise"?

fise ??

6. What is the meaning of emper idem?

7. Which of the following are his-spell: Camilsole, Camilards, Candelubrum, Catacomb,

Catelepsy?

8. What is the highest moun-

tain in Australia?

9. Who was Lady Bountiful?

10. Correct: "The weary ploughman homeward plods his way." Who wrote it, and

his way.
where?
11. Magna Carta was signed
in 1015, 1115, 1215, 1315, 1415?
12. Complete the common
phrases: (a) Wine, ——, and
——; (b) Friends, ——, and

### Answers to Quiz in No. 178

1. Plant. 2. (a) Tennyson, (b) Bulwer

2. (a) Tennyson, (b) Bulwer Lytton.
3. Tauber is a singer; the others are instrumentalists.
4. 60 m.p.h.
5. Julia C. Carney.
6. 100 miles.
7. Believe, Encomium.
8. 404 feet.
9. Character in Shakespeare's "Merry Wives of Windson" and "Henry IV."
10. "Now that April's there." Browning.
11. 1827.
12. (a) Fat and forty; (b) Equality, Fraternity.

Solution to Figure This Out in No. 178.

Snooper 16, Shorty 37, and Pincher 10 to start with; and 20 to finish with.

# JANE









### BEELZEBUB JONES









### BELINDA









POPEYE









RUGGLES









GARTH









JUST JAKE













# **News from** Nowhere

By ODO DREW

A GALLANT PARTISAN.

NEWS has just reached this country of an incident of the partisan warfare in the Northern Balkans which has whipped up the fury of the patriots to a new height of frenzy. It appears that a Nazi detachment, escorting the local Gauleiter, Gessler, made a search of the village through which they were passing, and discovered a number of partisans in hiding.

Amongst them was a certain William Teli, a famous marksman, and his ten-vear-old son. The brutal Gessler, promising his ruffians some sport, ordered Teli to be brought before him.

"I am told," he said, "that you are a deadly shot, who never misses his mark. Well, you can prove it here and now. Shoot an apple from the head of your son at fifty paces and I will spare your life."

The gallant Tell at first refused; but Gessler informed him that if he would not risk the shot, then both his life and that of his boy would be forfeit.

The boy was led away, and stood, fifty paces distant, with his little arms folded and a little apple on his little curly head.

"Shoot, pop," he cried, smiling at his father.

Tell asked for a couple of cartridges, and, taking careful aim, fired. The apple fiew from the little boy's head, and the little boy fiew to his father's arms.

"A good shot, in very sooth," said Cessler, "but why did you ask for two cartridges?"

"Because," answered Tell, "if I had hit the boy the second bullet would have hit you."

In spite of the Gauleiter's promise, both Tell and his son were shot immediately.

ZOO SNAKE PIT.

A NEW curator has been appointed to the Snake Pit at the Zoo, favourite rendezvous of sailors on leave. Appropriately enough, the new official is a sailor, Commander Jinnan Bittus, R.N. (Retd.).

He has held high appointments in the A.T.C., the W.A.A.F., the Wrens, the N.F.S., the Police, the W.V.S., as well as in greyhound-racing and the variety and cinema world.

He is, obviously, well qualified for his new and responsible position.

NAZI MINISTRY OF FOOD.

THE appointment of Dr. Hans Faulfresser as chief of the Ersatz Division of the German Ministry of Food is regarded as highly significant in view of the need to utilise all possible sources of food supply in the Reich.

When it is remembered that Dr. Faulfresser is the greatest expert in Germany on Coprology and Scatology, it seems not unlikely that the food situation is much more serious than has hitherto been believed.

"PILGRIM'S PROGRESS."

WE have received from the publishers a new movel by a Mr. John Bunyan, an author who has, apparently, a number of books already to his credit. "Pilgrim's Progress" is, however, his first full-length novel. It tells the life story of Mr. Christian, and is packed with incident. There are many exciting adventures before the hero reaches the end of his journey—in particular, the fight with Apollyon is extremely well done.

lar, the fight with Apollyon is extremely well done.

Many of the scenes are laid in the author's home county—Bedfordshire; and one can recognise the Slough of Despond as being the marshy valley to the north of Dunstable, whilst the Delectable Mountains are, obviously, the Chiltern Hills.

Mr. Bunyam has had a varied career. After some yeans of soldiering, he became a tinker at Elstow, near Bedford. He is now a Nonconformist minister. He has been in trouble with the authorities on more than one occasion religious ordinances, and spent twelve years in Bedford Gaol for these offences.

We shall look forward with great interest to his next novel.

Answers to Mixed Doubles. (a) MEAN & ABJECT. (b) NICE & NASTY.

Solution to Allied Ports.

## Laugh with Shaun MacAlister

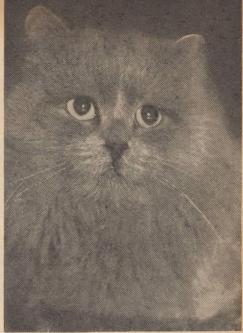
"Jimmy, I wish you'd learn better table manners. You're a regular little pig at the table."
Deep silence on Jimmy's part. So father, in order to impress him more, added, "I say, Jim, do you know what a pig is?"

"Yes, Dad," replied Jimmy meekly, "it's a hog's little boy."

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A tramp knocked at the "George and Dragon."
"Could you spare a bite?" he asked. "No,"
snapped the landlady, slamming the door in his
face. Presently the tramp knocked again.
"Could I have a few words with George?" he





"I'm sorry I look so small to you, because, believe it or not, I'm one of the loveliest Persians ever."

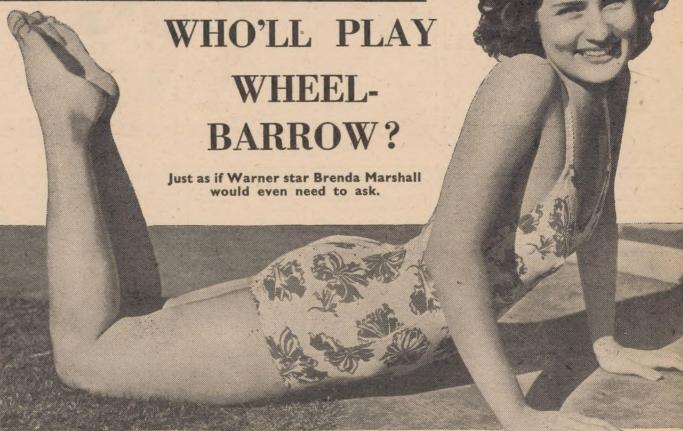
# This England

The fishing town of Robin Hood's Bay near Scarborough.

## UNDRESS UNIFORM



"If he doesn't turn up, I'm going to dress. I've tried to look as though he had caught me napping — instead, I'm going to be caught by a fine packet of influenza."





The laughing jackass tells "a new one" to his friend the sloth. despise a fellow who laughs at his own jokes.

